

The Bloomfield Times

Tuesday, March 22, 1870.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

OUR TERMS

Are One Dollar a Year in Advance!

Persons who receive a paper with this article...

CORRESPONDENTS will please bear in mind that letters received later than Saturday evening...

ANSWER TO ENIGMA IN No. 13.—The Parham sewing machine.

Subscribers giving notice of change of residence, should state the office to which their paper has been mailed...

The Largest Newspaper Mail which goes to any one firm in this country, is received by G. P. Rowell & Co., New York Advertising Agents.

A Twenty Dollar Dog.—A dog that sucked eggs, and belonging to John Baker of Spring township, was shot by a neighbor upon whose premises he depredated...

To Correspondents.—The letter giving "advice to the citizens of Duncannon, &c.," we think best not to publish.

Council Meeting.—Notice is hereby given that the last meeting of the present borough council will be held to-morrow (Wednesday) evening...

F. MORTIMER, Burgess. Wm. M. SUTCH, Secretary.

Large Receipts.—By a report of the receipt for premiums of nine of the principal Insurance Companies in Hartford, Connecticut, we see that the receipts of the Aetna are nearly equal to all the other eight put together...

The Storm of last Tuesday night was the most severe of any we have had during the winter. On Wednesday morning the large quantity of snow that had fallen was terribly drifted, making travel almost impossible...

Bloomfield Academy.—The present proprietor of this institution seems determined to meet the demands of the public in every particular, and to offer all possible inducements to parents to depend upon this school for the education of their children.

Coal Oil Explosions.—Hardly a day passes without some person being injured by the explosion of coal oil lamps. These accidents are always caused by carelessness, or poor oil.

The Bodies of the Condemned.—The Huntingdon Globe says as some may be curious to know what disposition has been made of the bodies of Bohner and Boden-burg, we relate. On Wednesday Sheriff Neety had appointed two colored men to bury them.

A Very Singular circumstance occurred near Mount Holly, on last Friday. Mr. Rawn started to the South Mountain, on the morning of that day, with two horses and a wagon to bring a load of wood; not returning in the evening, his brother and some others started in search of him, fearing that he had met with some accident...

Church Notices.

In the Presbyterian Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Preaching on Sunday morning, at 10 1/2 o'clock.

In the Reformed Church, prayer-meeting on Thursday evening; preaching at 10 1/2 a. m. on Sunday next.

In the Lutheran Church prayer meeting on Wednesday evening; preaching next Sabbath at 10 1/2 a. m.

Our Legislature has passed a bill making it a penal offense for persons who sell milk to adulterate the same with water. A person that does so, shall be barred from any right to recover pay for the same.

All who examine the Parham machine are much pleased with it. It runs so easy and still, and makes such pretty work, that a person who wants a machine will buy no other kind, after having seen the Parham.

For the Bloomfield Times. NEWPORT, March 19, 1870.

Mr. Editor—The "Purim" ball on Friday night in Keim's Hall was the great sensation of this season, in Newport. The 17th and 18th of March being the days upon which the Jews celebrate the Feast of Purim, our young citizens, although not all Jews, concluded to celebrate the occasion by a social hop on that evening.

But the ladies! How can we describe them. How can any one do justice to their elegant toilets! Those graceful movements, those smiling countenances, those \* \* \* those \* \* \* but we can write no more—our mind is carried away by the remembrance of that night. That beautiful blonde, with powdered hair. Oh! my— "You may break, you may shatter The vase, if you will, But the scent of the roses Will hang round it still!" See that fair haired youth, with the blue neck-tie as he lays his arm so gracefully round her waist! Don't we wish we were fair-haired too. Oh! for a blonde. Oh! for another Purim ball, and we'll win that girl or die! You bet. REPORTER.

Briefs.

Quite an extended revival is in progress at the Bethel Church, at Carlisle.

Selling eggs by weight is the topic now agitating some sections. No doubt it would be the most equitable way to dispose of them.

The Peoples' Union Bank, the new bank just started at Newville have elected Wm. M. Marshall, formerly of Hagerstown, for their cashier.

People who have to change their residence by the 1st of April, will have a rough time moving. Already quite a number of flittings have passed through town.

Putting powder in a pipe of smoking tobacco, is a joke recently played on a young man at Blue Ball, burning his face considerably. He failed to see where the laugh came in. It does not require any high order of intellect to play such tricks.

The Western Fever seems to be troubling many persons this spring. Last week three more citizens of Juniata township, left calculating to locate in Illinois.

On Monday of last week a soldier named Thompson, deserted from the Carlisle Barracks, taking with him a dark bay horse, belonging to the livery stable of G. W. Hilton.

A calf weighing 78 pounds, when it was three hours old, is now in the stable of Thos. Sutch of this borough. Can any one in the county report one as large?

Bob Aker who has in times past, given this county so much trouble, does not seem to like his quarters in Dauphin County jail, and last week came near making his escape. His preparations were, however, discovered in time, and he was removed to another cell.

The large quantity of Flax used for making switches for ladies hair has affected the price of linen goods. In the city of New York alone more than one thousand girls are employed in combing and preparing flax to imitate hair.

A Very Prosperous Company.—The Continental Life Insurance Company, of New York, although in existence less than four years, has eclipsed many companies organized several years prior to it. About twenty-two thousand policies have been issued since 1866, the year of its formation, and in 1869 alone nearly nine thousand policies were taken. This is certainly a gratifying exhibit and speaks volumes for the company and its officers.

John C. Flickinger, of Shippensburg, whose life was insured in the Continental Life Insurance Company, of New York, for \$5,000, by policy No. 9,263, dated September 12, 1868, having died, this is to certify that as the lawful holder and owner of said policy, I have this day received, from the said Continental Life Insurance Company, the sum of five thousand dollars in settlement and full satisfaction of all claims under the same.

Witness my hand, this twelfth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

JACOB FLICKINGER, Administrator.

Sale bills, or any kind of job printing done promptly at this office.

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of the "Millerstown Zouave Band," March 12, 1870, the following preamble and resolutions of respect, were passed: WHEREAS, God in His wisdom has removed from among us, SHIPPEN HOLT SHOPPLE, therefore Resolved, That we recognize the hand of an all-wise Providence, who takes from among us to teach us that one by one, our days are being numbered.

MARRIAGES.

ADAMS—GELBACH—On the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, in Duncannon, by the Rev. W. D. C. Radtke, Mr. Frank Adams, of Harrisburg, to Miss Sidney Gelbach.

DEATHS.

GILBERT—On the 28th ult., in Juniata township, Charles Gilbert, son of Levi and Sallie J. Smith, aged 1 year, and 3 months.

Alas! how changed that lonely flower Which bloomed and cheered our hearts; Fair, beaming comfort of an hour, How soon we're called to part.

SHEARER—In Jackson township on the 13th inst., Mr. Peter Shearer in the 83d year of his age.

STAMBAUGH—In Spring township near Elliptsburg, on the 15th inst., Mrs. Catherine, wife of Martin Stambaugh, aged 37 years, 11 months and 15 days.

NOTICE TO SOLDIERS.

SOLDIERS DISCHARGED for sickness or other cause, who enlisted before July 22, 1861, for 3 years, will receive Bounty now due them, or their heirs, by making immediate application, either in person or by letter to LEWIS POTTER, New Bloomfield, [Perry County, Pa. March 22, 1870.]

County Price Current.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes items like Flax Seed, Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, Dried Apples, etc.

Philadelphia Price Current.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes items like White Wheat, Red Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, etc.

Stage Line Between Newport and New Germantown.

Table with columns for station names and train times. Includes Newport Station, Duncannon Station, Millerstown Station.

READING RAIL-ROAD.

Table with columns for station names and train times. Includes Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, etc.

BAUGH'S RAW-BONE Super Phosphate of Lime! TRADE MARK 1870. FARMERS! INCREASE YOUR CROP OF Corn, Oats, Potatoes, Wheat and Grass.

MILLER, RICKERT & CO., SUCCESSORS TO GRAYBILL & NEWCOMER. Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in HATS, CAPS, FURS, STRAW-GOODS, &c.

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS! After the 12th day of August, of this year, (1870) suits will be liable to be brought in the Court of Dauphin County for money due on lands in Perry County, unpatented.

SEED POTATOES. The subscriber has for sale a few bushels of the celebrated Harrison Potato, at \$1 00 per bushel. This Potato cannot be excelled for a prolific yield, or for table use.

GLASS AND QUEENSWARE. A splendid assortment of Glass and Queensware at greatly reduced prices has just been received by the subscriber. Persons wanting any article of this kind, will do well to examine the stock. F. MORTIMER & CO., New Bloomfield.

Pennsylvania R. R. Time Table.

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